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**Subject:** Rosemont

All,

As you know, the Forest Service is going ahead with its ROD for the Rosemont project. We have tried for a number of months to try to ensure that the decisions of the Forest Service and the Army Corp were close in time. However, the Forest Service has made a final decision to go forward with its ROD and not wait for the Army Corp to make its permit decision. As you are also aware, we continue to have significant concerns with the project. Alexis discussed this with Larry Starfield, Acting Assistant Administrator for OECA. They concluded that we would not send correspondence to the Forest Service or elevate our concerns within EPA at this time. Alexis spoke with Cal Joyner of the Forest Service and conveyed this information. We will face another decision point on this project when we are informed of the Army Corp's decision on the permit. Thank you all for your continued efforts on this challenging project.

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